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General Assembly

Seventy-third session

10:00 [webcast] — 34th plenary meeting — General Assembly Hall

Report of the International Atomic Energy Agency - Item 92

Document: A/73/315 and A/73/L.19

Security Council

10:00 [webcast] — 8395th meeting — Security Council Chamber

Adoption of the agenda

Maintenance of international peace and security

Strengthening multilateralism and the role of the United Nations

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General Assembly

Seventy-third session

10:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 6
15:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 6
	Informal consultations on agenda item 78 (b) (Oceans and the law of the sea: Sustainable fisheries)	

Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee)

Seventy-third session

15:00 – 18:00	24th plenary meeting [webcast]	Conference Room 4

Introductory statement, question-and-answer period and general debate on:

United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East - Item 54

18:00:

Deadline for submission of proposals on item 54

Deadline for submission of proposals on item 55

Deadline for submission of proposals on all outstanding items

The list of speakers for the general discussion on the following item(s) of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) is open:

United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East - Item 54

Report of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices Affecting the Human Rights of the Palestinian People and Other Arabs of the Occupied Territories - Item 55

Delegations wishing to inscribe on the list of speakers are requested to do so through the e-deleGATE portal.

Delegations are encouraged to observe the time limits of 10 minutes for statements by individual Member States and 15 minutes for delegations speaking on behalf of a group of States.

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Documents: A/C.4/73/1, A/C.4/73/L.1, A/C.4/73/INF.1, A/C.4/73/INF.4, A/73/13, A/73/349, A/73/296, A/73/323 and A/73/338

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Fifth Committee
Seventy-third session

10:00 — 14th meeting [webcast] — Conference Room 3

Programme budget for the biennium 2018–2019 - Item 136

Revised estimates relating to the United Nations Truce Supervision Organization under section 5, Peacekeeping operations

United Nations pension system - Item 144

Documents: A/73/402, A/73/492, A/73/9, A/C.5/73/3, A/73/5/Add.16, A/73/342, A/73/341 and A/73/489

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Followed by – 13:00 — Informal consultations (closed) — Conference Room 5

Programme budget for the biennium 2018–2019 - Item 136

Revised estimates relating to the United Nations Truce Supervision Organization under section 5, Peacekeeping operations

Documents: A/73/402 and A/73/492

15:00 – 18:00 Informal consultations (closed) Conference Room 5

United Nations pension system - Item 144

Documents: A/73/9, A/C.5/73/3, A/73/5/Add.16, A/73/342, A/73/341 and A/73/489

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Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

10:00 - 13:00 Closed meeting Conference Room 10

Estimates in respect of special political missions, good offices and other political initiatives authorized by the General Assembly and/or Security Council - Thematic Cluster 2: Report of the Secretary-General

15:00 - 18:00 Closed meeting Conference Room 10

Executive meeting

Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf
Forty-eighth session

10:00 - 13:00 Closed meeting Geographic Information System laboratories DOALOS (DC2, 4th Fl)

15:00 - 18:00 Closed meeting Geographic Information System laboratories DOALOS (DC2, 4th Fl)

There will be closed meetings of the subcommissions established by the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf until Friday, 30 November 2018, from 10:00 to 13:00 and from 15:00 to 18:00, at the Geographic Information System laboratories of the Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea (DC2 Building, 4th Floor).

Forthcoming official meetings

General Assembly
Seventy-third session

14 November 2018

10:00 35th plenary meeting [webcast] General Assembly Hall

Appointment of members of the Joint Inspection Unit - Item 117 (f)

Appointment of the judges of the United Nations Dispute Tribunal - Item 117 (h)

Appointment of the judges of the United Nations Appeals Tribunal - Item 117 (i)

Documents: A/73/479, A/73/422 and A/73/203

15 November 2018

10:00	36th plenary meeting [webcast]	General Assembly Hall
	Implementation of the resolutions of the United Nations - Item 122	
	Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly - Item 123	
	Joint debate	

20 November 2018

10:00	37th plenary meeting [webcast]	General Assembly Hall
	Question of equitable representation on and increase in the membership of the Security Council and other matters related to the Security Council - Item 124	

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12 and 13 November 2018

10:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 6
15:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 6
	Informal consultations on agenda item 78 (b) (Oceans and the law of the sea: Sustainable fisheries)	

14 to 20 November 2018

10:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 6
15:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 6
	Informal consultations on the draft resolution on item 78 (a) (Oceans and the law of the sea) of the provisional agenda of regular session 73 of the General Assembly	

Fifth Committee
Seventy-third session

12 November 2018

10:00 – 13:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 5
15:00 – 18:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 5
	Links: Website and e-deleGATE Portal	

General Assembly
Security Council

Peacebuilding Commission

Annual session on peacebuilding and sustaining peace in the Sahel region

12 November 2018

10:00 to 13:00	Ambassadorial level meeting [webcast]	Economic and Social Council Chamber
15:00 to 18:00	Ambassadorial level meeting [webcast]	Economic and Social Council Chamber

Economic and Social Council

Session 2019

Joint meeting of the Economic and Social Council and the Peacebuilding Commission

13 November 2018

10:00 – 13:00 Conference Room 2

Joint meeting at the ambassadorial level on "Linkages between climate change and challenges to peacebuilding and sustaining peace in the Sahel"

The meeting is co-chaired by the President of the Economic and Social Council (Saint Vincent and the Grenadines) and the Chair, Peacebuilding Commission (Romania)

Additional information is available on the website of the Economic and Social Council.

For details, please contact the Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA) or the Peacebuilding Support Office.

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Plenary

13 November 2018

15:00 – 18:00 Plenary meeting [webcast] Economic and Social Council Chamber

Special meeting on "Pathways to resilience in climate-affected Small Island Developing States (SIDS): A forward-looking resilience-building agenda: Promises, results and next steps"

Convened by the President of the Economic and Social Council (Saint Vincent and the Grenadines) to follow-up on the 2017 Special Meeting, with a focus on commitments made and results achieved to date in Small Island Developing States vulnerable to shocks associated with natural hazards and explore new and innovative approaches to financing climate resilience.

In view of the interactive nature of this event, there will be no pre-determined list of speakers and participants are requested to refrain from reading prepared statements.

The time limit for interventions is *three minutes*.

All are invited to attend.

Additional information is available on the website of the Economic and Social Council.

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Summary of official meetings

Thursday, 8 November 2018

Security Council

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8394th meeting

The situation in Libya

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President invited the representative of Libya to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

In accordance with rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure, the President invited Mr. Ghassan Salamé, Special Representative of the Secretary-General and Head of the United Nations Support Mission in Libya, to participate in the meeting.

The Council began its consideration of the item and heard a briefing by Mr. Salamé (via video-teleconference from Tripoli).

Statements were made by the representatives of the United Kingdom, Sweden, Kuwait, France, the United States, Equatorial Guinea, the Netherlands, Peru, Côte d'Ivoire, Ethiopia, Poland, the Russian Federation, the Plurinational State of Bolivia, Kazakhstan, and by the President, speaking in his capacity as the representative of China.

The Council heard a statement by the representative of Libya.

General Assembly

Seventy-third session

First Committee

Seventy-third session

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30th plenary meeting

The Committee continued the third phase of its work, namely, "Action on all draft resolutions and decisions submitted under disarmament and international security agenda items (items 93 to 108)."

The Chair made a statement.

The representatives of the Russian Federation and the United States raised a point of order.

The Committee took action on the draft resolutions under cluster 5 (other disarmament measures and international security).

Draft resolution A/C.1/73/L.11 was adopted without a vote.

Draft resolution A/C.1/73/L.12 was adopted by a recorded vote of 140 to 4 with 26 abstentions.

Draft resolution A/C.1/73/L.13 was adopted without a vote.

Draft resolution A/C.1/73/L.15 was adopted, as orally revised, by a recorded vote of 121 to 4 with 51 abstentions.

The tenth Preambular paragraph of draft resolution A/C.1/73/L.21 was retained by a recorded vote of 149 to 0 with 23 abstentions.

Draft resolution A/C.1/73/L.21, as a whole, was adopted without a vote.

The ninth Preambular paragraph of draft resolution A/C.1/73/L.35 was retained by a recorded vote of 162 to 2 with 8 abstentions.

Draft resolution A/C.1/73/L.35, as a whole, was adopted without a vote.

Draft resolution A/C.1/73/L.45 was adopted without a vote.

The third Operative paragraph of draft resolution A/C.1/73/L.49 was retained by a recorded vote of 166 to 0 with 4 abstentions.

Draft resolution A/C.1/73/L.49, as a whole, was adopted without a vote.

Draft resolution A/C.1/73/L.65/Rev.1 was adopted, as orally revised, without a vote.

In explanation of vote after the vote, statements were made by the representatives of Brazil, Pakistan, the United Kingdom (on behalf of a number of States), the Netherlands, the Islamic Republic of Iran, the United States, Switzerland, Armenia and Egypt.

Under cluster 6 (regional disarmament and security), general statements were made by the representatives of the European Union (on behalf of the candidate countries of the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Montenegro, Serbia, and Albania; the country of the Stabilization and Association Process and potential candidate Bosnia and Herzegovina, as well as Ukraine, the Republic of Moldova and Georgia) and France.

In explanation of vote before the vote, statements were made by the representatives of Israel and the Islamic Republic of Iran.

The Committee took action on the draft resolutions under cluster 6 (regional disarmament and security).

Draft resolution A/C.1/73/L.5 was adopted without a vote.

Separate votes were requested on draft resolution A/C.1/73/L.6.

The second Operative paragraph was retained by a recorded vote of 127 to 2 with 45 abstentions.

Draft resolution A/C.1/73/L.6, as a whole, was adopted by a recorded vote of 179 to 1 with 2 abstentions.

Draft resolution A/C.1/73/L.7 was adopted without a vote.

Separate votes were requested on draft resolution A/C.1/73/L.30.

The second Operative paragraph was retained by a recorded vote of 166 to 2 with 1 abstention.

The fifth Operative paragraph was retained by a recorded vote of 165 to 2 with 2 abstentions.

Draft resolution A/C.1/73/L.30, as a whole, was adopted by a recorded vote of 171 to 0 with 2 abstentions.

Draft decision A/C.1/73/L.47 was adopted without a vote.

In explanation of vote after the vote, statements were made by the representatives of India, the Syrian Arab Republic and Algeria.

The representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran raised a point of order.

Under cluster 7 (disarmament machinery), general statements were made by representatives of Peru, who on behalf of the Group of Latin America and Caribbean Countries who also introduced draft resolution A/C.1/73/L.56 entitled "United Nations Regional Centre for Peace, Disarmament and Development in Latin America and the Caribbean", Cuba, Nepal, who also introduced draft resolution A/C.1/73/L.38 entitled" United Nations Regional Centre for Peace and Disarmament in Asia and the Pacific", France, Austria (on behalf of a number of States) and Australia.

The Committee took action on the draft resolution under cluster 7 (disarmament machinery).

Draft resolution A/C.1/73/L.16 was adopted, as orally revised, by a recorded vote of 174 to 0 with 3 abstentions.

The Secretary of the Committee made an oral statement pertaining to the financial implications of the draft resolution A/C.1/73/L.18.

Draft resolution A/C.1/73/L.18 was adopted, as orally revised, without a vote.

The Secretary of the Committee made an oral statement pertaining to the financial implications of the draft resolution A/C.1/73/L.34.

Draft resolution A/C.1/73/L.34 was adopted without a vote.

Draft resolution A/C.1/73/L.36 was adopted without a vote.

Draft resolution A/C.1/73/L.38 was adopted without a vote.

The Secretary of the Committee made an oral statement pertaining to the financial implications of the draft resolution A/C.1/73/L.40.

Draft resolution A/C.1/73/L.40 was adopted without a vote.

Draft resolution A/C.1/73/L.56 was adopted without a vote.

Draft resolution A/C.1/73/L.69/Rev.1 was adopted without a vote.

The representative of the Syrian Arab Republic made a statement in explanation of vote after the vote.

Under cluster 1 (nuclear weapons), the representative of Morocco made a statement in explanation of vote before the vote.

The Committee took action on the draft resolution under cluster 1 (nuclear weapons).

The Secretary of the Committee made an oral statement pertaining to the financial implications of the draft resolution A/C.1/73/L.66.

Draft resolution A/C.1/73/L.66 was adopted, as orally revised, by a recorded vote of 171 to 0 with 6 abstentions.

In explanation of vote after the vote, statements were made by the representatives of Algeria, Egypt, the United Kingdom (on behalf of a number of States), New Zealand and Cuba.

31st plenary meeting

The summary of the 31st plenary meeting of the First Committee will appear in the next issue of the Journal (No. 2018/218).

Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee)
Seventy-third session

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23rd plenary meeting

The Chair (Liberia) made a statement.

A statement was made by the representative of the United States.

The Committee decided to further postpone action on draft resolution IX, relating to the Question of French Polynesia, contained in document A/73/23 (chapter XIII), as well as on draft resolution X, pertaining to the Question of Guam, also contained in document A/73/23 (chapter XIII), and the draft amendment thereto, contained in document A/C.4/73/L.11.

Comprehensive review of special political missions - Item 57

The Committee resumed its general debate and heard statements by the representatives of Ethiopia, Iraq, Ecuador, El Salvador, Myanmar and the Sudan.

The Committee thus concluded its general debate on agenda item 57.

Action on draft resolution A/C.4/73/L.8

The Secretary announced that Argentina, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, the Czech Republic, Germany, Greece, Iceland, Lichtenstein, Lithuania, Malta, Montenegro, Romania, Sierra Leone, Slovakia, Turkey and the United Kingdom had joined in sponsoring draft resolution A/C.4/73/L.8.

The Chair informed the Committee that the draft resolution did not contain programme budget implications.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.4/73/L.8 without a vote.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 57.

Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples - Item 63

Question of Gibraltar

The Chair informed the Committee that draft decision A/C.4.73/L.5 did not contain programme budget implications.

The Committee adopted draft decision A/C.4/73/L.5 without a vote.

A statement was made by the representative of the Russian Federation.

Organization of work

The Chair made a statement.

Second Committee
Seventy-third session

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23rd plenary meeting

The summary of the 23rd plenary meeting of the Second Committee will appear in the next issue of the Journal (No. 2018/218).

Third Committee
Seventy-third session

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45th plenary meeting

Right of peoples to self-determination - Item 73

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.3/73/L.37

The representative of Cuba introduced the draft resolution.

Botswana, Burundi, Chile, the Comoros, Equatorial Guinea, Guinea, the Lao People's Democratic Republic, Libya, Mali, Namibia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, South Africa, South Sudan, Sri Lanka, Uganda and Zimbabwe joined in sponsoring the draft resolution.

Promotion and protection of human rights: Human rights questions, including alternative approaches for improving the effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedom - Item 74 (b)

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.3/73/L.30

The representative of the Plurinational State of Bolivia made a statement.

Algeria, Bangladesh, Burundi, Equatorial Guinea, Haiti, Namibia, the Philippines and Togo joined in sponsoring the draft resolution.

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.3/73/L.34

The representative of Cuba introduced the draft resolution.

Algeria, Angola, Burundi, the Comoros, Ecuador, El Salvador, Equatorial Guinea, Eritrea, Guinea, the Islamic Republic of Iran, the Lao People's Democratic Republic, Libya, Madagascar, Mali, Namibia, the Niger, Nigeria, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, South Africa, South Sudan, Sri Lanka, the Sudan, the Syrian Arab Republic, Togo, Uganda, the United Republic of Tanzania and Zimbabwe joined in sponsoring the draft resolution.

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.3/73/L.35

The representative of Cuba introduced the draft resolution.

Algeria, Angola, Burundi, China, the Comoros, Ecuador, El Salvador, Equatorial Guinea, Eritrea, Guinea, the Islamic Republic of Iran, the Lao People's Democratic Republic, Mali, Mozambique, Namibia, the Niger, Nigeria, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Seychelles, South Africa, South Sudan, Sri Lanka, the Sudan and the Syrian Arab Republic joined in sponsoring the draft resolution.

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.3/73/L.36

The representative of Cuba introduced the draft resolution.

Algeria, Angola, Benin, Burundi, the Central African Republic, the Comoros, the Congo, Ecuador, Equatorial Guinea, Eritrea, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Indonesia, the Islamic Republic of Iran, Jamaica, Kenya, Kuwait, the Lao People's Democratic Republic, Libya, Madagascar, Mali, Mozambique, Namibia, the Niger, Nigeria, Panama, the Philippines, Qatar, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Senegal, Seychelles, South Africa, South Sudan, Sri Lanka, the Sudan, the Syrian Arab Republic, Tajikistan, Togo, Tunisia, Uganda, the United Arab Emirates, the United Republic of Tanzania and Zambia joined in sponsoring the draft resolution.

Action on draft resolution A/C.3/73/L.46

The Committee was informed that the draft resolution contained no programme budget implications.

A statement was made by the representative of Austria.

Albania, Andorra, Argentina, Armenia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Canada, Croatia, the Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Finland, France, Georgia, Greece, Guatemala, Honduras, Iceland, India, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Latvia, Lebanon, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Mexico, Monaco, Mongolia, Morocco, the Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Panama, Peru, the Philippines, Portugal, the Republic of Korea, the Republic of Moldova, Romania, San Marino, Serbia, Slovakia, South Africa, Thailand, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Uruguay and Vanuatu joined in sponsoring the draft resolution.

The representative of the United States made a statement.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution.

Crime prevention and criminal justice - Item 109

Action on draft resolution A/C.3/73/L.12/Rev.1

The Secretary read out a statement of programme budget implications in connection with the draft resolution.

A statement was made by the representative of Spain.

Albania, Algeria, Belarus, Belize, Canada, Chile, Costa Rica, the Czech Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Equatorial Guinea, Eritrea, Finland, Iceland, Israel, Italy, Liberia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Madagascar, Malaysia, Maldives, Mauritius, Montenegro, Morocco, Nigeria, Norway, Panama, Peru, the Philippines, Portugal, Qatar, Romania, San Marino, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Sri Lanka, Switzerland, Tajikistan, Thailand, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Tunisia, Turkey, Ukraine, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and Uruguay joined in sponsoring the draft resolution.

The representative of Belarus made a statement.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution.

Organization of work

The Secretary of the Committee made a statement.

The Chair also made a statement.

Fifth Committee
Seventy-third session

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13th meeting

Programme budget for the biennium 2018-2019 - Item 136

The Committee resumed its consideration of the agenda item.

Construction and property management:

Sixteenth annual progress report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of the capital master plan

The Assistant Secretary-General, Office of Central Support Services, introduced the report of the Secretary-General on the sixteenth annual progress report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of the capital master plan (A/73/317).

The Director of External Audit (India) and Chair of the Audit Operations Committee, Board of Auditors, Ms. Parama Sen, introduced the report of the Board of Auditors for the year ended 31 December 2017 on the capital master plan (A/73/5 (Volume V)).

The Chair reminded the Committee that the report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of the recommendations of the Board of Auditors contained in its report for the year ended 31 December 2017 on the United Nations and on the capital master plan (A/73/353) was previously introduced at its 7th meeting on 22 October.

The Chair of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions introduced the related report of that Committee (A/73/468).

The representative of Egypt (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China) made a statement.

The Committee concluded its general discussion on that question.

The Chair informed the Committee that informal consultations on that question would be held on that day, Thursday, 8 November in the afternoon and would be coordinated by Mr. Ali Alyahya (Kuwait).

Revised estimates resulting from resolutions and decisions adopted by the Economic and Social Council at its 2018 session

The Acting Controller, Office of Programme Planning, Budget and Accounts introduced the report of the Secretary-General on the revised estimates resulting from resolutions and decisions adopted by the Economic and Social Council at its 2018 session (A/73/400).

The Chair of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions introduced the related report of that Committee (A/73/478).

The representative of Egypt (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China) made a statement.

The Committee concluded its general discussion on that question.

The Chair informed the Committee that informal consultations on that question would be held on that day, Thursday, 8 November immediately following the adjournment of the formal meeting and would be coordinated by Mr. Mahmoud Ameen (Saudi Arabia).

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Group of 77 (on Second Committee and related matters)

10:00 - 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room D
13:15 - 14:30	Closed meeting	Conference Room D
15:00 - 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room D

Briefing and open exchange with the Under-Secretary-General and Executive Secretary of the United Nations Economic Commission for Europe (UNECE) on UNECE's work in support of the implementation of the 2030 Agenda (A/70/1 and A/RES/70/279) (co-organized by the Permanent Mission of Austria and the Regional Commissions New York Office)

10:00 - 11:30 Conference Room 9

Contact: Maria Dada (dadam@un.org, 212-963-6759).

Press conferences

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Second plenary meeting of the Funding Dialogues convened by the Deputy Secretary-General in the context of General Assembly resolution 72/279 on the repositioning of the United Nations development system (organized by the Executive Office of the Secretary-General)

12 November 2018

15:00 - 17:00 Closed meeting Conference Room 2

Contact: Alexander Tadion (tadion@un.org, 212-963-4892)

Briefing by the Permanent Mission of the Kingdom of Morocco and the Office of the Special Representative of the Secretary-General for International Migration on logistical and organizational matters for the Marrakech Conference on 10 and 11 December 2018 (A/RES/72/244) (organized by the Office of the Special Representative of the Secretary-General for International Migration)

13 November 2018

13:15 - 14:30 Conference Room 11

Link: More Info

Contact: Mun Sim Lai (laim@un.org; 212-963-0173, 917-565-7053)

Assembly of the States Parties to the International Criminal Court: New York Working Group

13 November 2018

16:00 - 18:00 Closed meeting Conference Room 12

Event entitled "Leadership and Conflict Resolution: Leading Self and Leading Others" (co-organized by UNITAR and Columbia Law School)

14 November 2018

10:00 - 13:00 Conference Room F

15:00 - 18:00 Conference Room F

Contact: UNITAR (nyo@unitar.org; 212-963-9196)

8th Global Forum of the United Nations Alliance of Civilizations on "#Commit2Dialogue: Partnerships for Prevention and Sustaining Peace" (A/RES/69/312) (organized by the United Nations Alliance of Civilizations (UNAOC))

19 November 2018	
10:00 - 13:00	Conference Room 4
15:00 - 18:00	Conference Room 4
20 November 2018	
09:30 - 13:00	Conference Room 4
15:00 - 18:00	Conference Room 4

Link: https://8thglobalforum.unaoc.org/

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General Assembly

Seventy-third session

10:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 6
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	Informal consultations on agenda item 78 (b) (Oceans and the law of the sea: Sustainable fisheries)	

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Special Political and Decolonization Committee
(Fourth Committee)
Seventy-third session

10:00 – 13:00 25th plenary meeting [webcast] Conference Room 4

United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East - Item 54

General debate (concluded)

The list of speakers for the general discussion on the following item(s) of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) is open:

> United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East - Item 54
>
> Report of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices Affecting the Human Rights of the Palestinian People and Other Arabs of the Occupied Territories - Item 55

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Documents: A/C.4/73/1, A/C.4/73/L.1, A/C.4/73/INF.1, A/C.4/73/INF.4, A/73/349, A/73/13, A/73/296, A/73/323 and A/73/338

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Fifth Committee
Seventy-third session

10:00 – 13:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 5
	Programme budget for the biennium 2018–2019 - Item 136	
	Request for a subvention to the Extraordinary Chambers in the Courts of Cambodia	
	Documents: A/73/331 and A/73/448	
15:00 – 18:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 5
	United Nations pension system - Item 144	
	Documents: A/73/9, A/C.5/73/3, A/73/5/Add.16, A/73/342, A/73/341 and A/73/489	
	Links: Website and e-deleGATE Portal	

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

10:00 - 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10
	Performance report 1 for the programme budget for the biennium 2018 - 2019	
	Performance report 1 for the budget of the International Residual Mechanism for Criminal Tribunals for the biennium 2018 - 2019	
15:00 - 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10
	Executive meeting	

Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf
Forty-eighth session

10:00 - 13:00	Closed meeting	Geographic Information System laboratories DOALOS (DC2, 4th Fl)
15:00 - 18:00	Closed meeting	Geographic Information System laboratories DOALOS (DC2, 4th Fl)

There will be closed meetings of the subcommissions established by the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf until Friday, 30 November 2018, from 10:00 to 13:00 and from 15:00 to 18:00, at the Geographic Information System laboratories of the Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea (DC2 Building, 4th Floor).

General Assembly
Security Council

Peacebuilding Commission

Annual session on peacebuilding and sustaining peace in the Sahel region

10:00 to 13:00	Ambassadorial level meeting [webcast]	Economic and Social Council Chamber
15:00 to 18:00	Ambassadorial level meeting [webcast]	Economic and Social Council Chamber

Security Council

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1988 (2011)

09:30 – 12:30	Closed	Conference Room 7
	Briefing by the Special Representative of the Secretary-General for Afghanistan and Head of the United Nations Assistance Mission in Afghanistan	
	Briefing by Afghanistan	
	Other matters	

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 2127 (2013) concerning the Central African Republic

15:00 – 18:00	Closed	Conference Room 7
	Report of the Chair's visit to the Central African Republic	
	Other matters	

Forthcoming official meetings

General Assembly

Seventy-third session

14 November 2018

10:00	35th plenary meeting [webcast]	General Assembly Hall
	Appointment of members of the Joint Inspection Unit - Item 117 (f)	
	Appointment of the judges of the United Nations Dispute Tribunal - Item 117 (h)	
	Appointment of the judges of the United Nations Appeals Tribunal - Item 117 (i)	
	Documents: A/73/479, A/73/422 and A/73/203	

15 November 2018

10:00	36th plenary meeting [webcast]	General Assembly Hall
	Implementation of the resolutions of the United Nations - Item 122	
	Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly - Item 123	
	Joint debate	

20 November 2018

10:00	37th plenary meeting [webcast]	General Assembly Hall
	Question of equitable representation on and increase in the membership of the Security Council and other matters related to the Security Council - Item 124	

13 November 2018

10:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 6
15:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 6
	Informal consultations on agenda item 78 (b) (Oceans and the law of the sea: Sustainable fisheries)	

14 to 20 November 2018

10:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 6
15:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 6
	Informal consultations on the draft resolution on item 78 (a) (Oceans and the law of the sea) of the provisional agenda of regular session 73 of the General Assembly	

Second Committee
Seventy-third session

15 November 2018

10:00 – 13:00	Plenary meeting [webcast]	Conference Room 2
	Information on the work of the Committee, as well as related documentation and side events, are available on its website.	
	Members, as well as observers, are requested to register the names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers through the e-List of Participants module on the e-deleGATE portal.	
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	Information on the schedule of informal consultations on Second Committee draft proposals for the next 3 days is available on the website of the Committee.	
	Documents: A/C.2/73/1, A/C.2/73/L.1 and A/C.2/73/L.1/Add.1/Rev.1	
	Links: Website, Documentation, Schedule of informals, e-deleGATE Portal and PaperSmart	
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Fifth Committee
Seventy-third session

13 November 2018

10:00 – 13:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 5
15:00 – 18:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 5
	Links: Website and e-deleGATE Portal	

Economic and Social Council

Session 2019

Joint meeting of the Economic and Social Council and the Peacebuilding Commission

13 November 2018

10:00 – 13:00 Conference Room 2

Joint meeting at the ambassadorial level on "Linkages between climate change and challenges to peacebuilding and sustaining peace in the Sahel"

The meeting is co-chaired by the President of the Economic and Social Council (Saint Vincent and the Grenadines) and the Chair, Peacebuilding Commission (Romania)

Additional information is available on the website of the Economic and Social Council.

For details, please contact the Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA) or the Peacebuilding Support Office.

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Plenary

13 November 2018

15:00 – 18:00 Plenary mee. ng [webcast] Economic and Social Council Chamber

Special meeting on "Pathways to resilience in climate-affected Small Island Developing States (SIDS): A forward-looking resilience-building agenda: Promises, results and next steps"

Convened by the President of the Economic and Social Council (Saint Vincent and the Grenadines) to follow-up on the 2017 Special Meeting, with a focus on commitments made and results achieved to date in Small Island Developing States vulnerable to shocks associated with natural hazards and explore new and innovative approaches to financing climate resilience.

In view of the interactive nature of this event, there will be no pre-determined list of speakers and participants are requested to refrain from reading prepared statements.

The time limit for interventions is *three minutes*.

All are invited to attend.

Additional information is available on the website of the Economic and Social Council.

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**Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme/
United Nations Population Fund/
United Nations Office for Project Services**

14 November 2018

13:15 – 14:30 Briefing Conference Room 11

All member and observer delegations are invited to attend.

Summary of official meetings

Thursday, 8 November 2018

General Assembly
Seventy-third session

First Committee
Seventy-third session

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31st plenary meeting

The Committee continued the third phase of its work, namely, "Action on all draft resolutions and decisions submitted under disarmament and international security agenda items (items 93 to 108)."

Under cluster 4 (conventional weapons), under the general statements segment, the representative of Afghanistan, introduced draft resolution A/C.1/73/L.53/Rev.1 entitled "Implementation of the Convention on the Prohibition of the Use, Stockpiling, Production and Transfer of Anti-Personnel Mines and on Their Destruction".

In explanation of vote before the vote, statements were made by the representatives of Egypt and Libya.

The Committee took action on the draft resolution under cluster 4 (conventional weapons).

The Secretary of the Committee made an oral statement pertaining to the financial implications of the draft resolution A/C.1/73/L.53/Rev.1.

Draft resolution A/C.1/73/L.53/Rev.1 was adopted by a recorded vote of 154 to 0 with 17 abstentions.

In explanation of vote after the vote, statements were made by the representatives of Cuba, India, the Islamic Republic of Iran, Myanmar, the Republic of Korea, Germany, Singapore and Pakistan.

Under cluster 5 (other disarmament measures and international security), general statements were made by the representatives of the Russian Federation, Bangladesh, Nigeria, who introduced draft resolution A/C.1/73/L.41/Rev.1 entitled "United Nations disarmament fellowship, training and advisory services", and Cuba.

The representatives of the United States and the Russian Federation raised a point of order.

In explanation of vote before the vote, statements were made by the representatives of Austria (on behalf of the European Union, the candidate countries of the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Montenegro and Albania, as well as the Republic of Moldova and Georgia), Egypt, the United States, Armenia, the Islamic Republic of Iran, Algeria, Cuba, the Russian Federation, Australia, the Syrian Arab Republic and Canada (on behalf of a number of States).

The Committee took action on the draft resolutions under cluster 5 (other disarmament measures and international security).

The Secretary of the Committee made an oral statement pertaining to the financial implications of the draft resolution A/C.1/73/L.27/Rev.1.

Draft resolution A/C.1/73/L.27/Rev.1, was adopted by a recorded vote of 109 to 45 with 16 abstentions.

The Secretary informed the Committee that a statement on the programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.1/73/L.37 had been issued as document A/C.1/73/L.72.

Draft resolution A/C.1/73/L.37 was adopted by a recorded vote of 139 to 11 with 18 abstentions.

Draft resolution A/C.1/73/L.41/Rev.1 was adopted without a vote.

In explanation of vote after the vote, statements were made by the representatives of Switzerland, the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, China, Bangladesh, Japan, Singapore, India, Indonesia, Malaysia, the Philippines and Belarus.

The Committee adopted its provisional programme of work and timetable for its next session (2019), as contained in document A/C.1/73/CRP.5/Rev.1

The Chair made a statement.

The representative of China made a statement.

The Committee thus concluded its work for the main part of the seventy-third session.

Second Committee
Seventy-third session

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23rd plenary meeting

The Chair (Guatemala) made a statement.

The representative of the United States made a statement in reference to all draft resolutions before the Committee.

Information and communications technologies for sustainable development - Item 17

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.2/73/L.29

The representative of Egypt introduced the draft resolution on behalf of the Group of 77 and China.

Macroeconomic policy questions - Item 18

International trade and development - Item 18 (a)

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.2/73/L.21

International financial system and development - Item 18 (b)

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.2/73/L.12

External debt sustainability and development - Item 18 (c)

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.2/73/L.11

Promotion of international cooperation to combat illicit financial flows and strengthen good practices on assets return to foster sustainable development - Item 18 (d)

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.2/73/L.19

The representative of Egypt introduced the draft resolutions on behalf of the Group of 77 and China.

Follow-up to and implementation of the outcomes of the International Conferences on Financing for Development - Item 19

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.2/73/L.17

The representative of Egypt introduced the draft resolution on behalf of the Group of 77 and China.

Sustainable development - Item 20

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.2/73/L.13

Follow-up to and implementation of the SIDS Accelerated Modalities of Action (SAMOA) Pathway and the Mauritius Strategy for the Further Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States - Item 20 (b)

Introduction of draft resolutions A/C.2/73/L.14 and A/C.2/73/L.27

Disaster risk reduction - Item 20 (c)

Introduction of draft resolutions A/C.2/73/L.6 and A/C.2/73/L.15

Protection of global climate for present and future generations of humankind - Item 20 (d)

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.2/73/L.28

Implementation of the United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification in Those Countries Experiencing Serious Drought and/or Desertification, Particularly in Africa - Item 20 (e)

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.2/73/L.38

Convention on Biological Diversity - Item 20 (f)

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.2/73/L.33

Report of the United Nations Environment Assembly of the United Nations Environment Programme - Item 20 (g)

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.2/73/L.36

Harmony with Nature - Item 20 (h)

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.2/73/L.39

Ensuring access to affordable, reliable, sustainable and modern energy for all - Item 20 (i)

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.2/73/L.40

Combating sand and dust storms - Item 20 (j)

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.2/73/L.16

The representative of Egypt introduced the draft resolutions on behalf of the Group of 77 and China.

Implementation of Agenda 21, the Programme for the Further Implementation of Agenda 21 and the outcomes of the World Summit on Sustainable Development and of the United Nations Conference on Sustainable Development - Item 20 (a)

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.2/73/L.24

The representative of Tajikistan introduced the draft resolution on behalf of the sponsors listed in the document.

Implementation of the outcomes of the United Nations Conferences on Human Settlements and on Housing and Sustainable Urban Development and strengthening of the United Nations Human Settlements Programme (UN Habitat) - Item 21

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.2/73/L.4

The representative of Egypt introduced the draft resolution on behalf of the Group of 77 and China.

Globalization and interdependence - Item 22

Globalization and interdependence - Item 22 (a)

Introduction of and action on draft resolution A/C.2/73/L.23

The representative of Egypt introduced the draft resolution on behalf of the Group of 77 and China.

The Committee was informed that the draft resolution contained no programme budget implications.

A statement in explanation of vote before the vote was made by the representative of the United States.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution by a recorded vote of 114 to 47 with 4 abstentions.

A statement in explanation of vote after the vote was made by the representative of Austria (on behalf of the member States of the European Union, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Montenegro, Serbia, Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Ukraine, the Republic of Moldova and Georgia).

Groups of countries in special situations - Item 23

Follow-up to the Fourth United Nations Conference on the Least Developed Countries - Item 23 (a)

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.2/73/L.31

Follow-up to the second United Nations Conference on Landlocked Developing Countries - Item 23 (b)

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.2/73/L.30

The representative of Egypt introduced the draft resolutions on behalf of the Group of 77 and China.

Eradication of poverty and other development issues - Item 24

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.2/73/L.18

Implementation of the Third United Nations Decade for the Eradication of Poverty (2018–2027) - Item 24 (a)

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.2/73/L.9

Industrial development cooperation - Item 24 (b)

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.2/73/L.10

The representative of Egypt introduced the draft resolutions on behalf of the Group of 77 and China.

Operational activities for development - Item 25

Operational activities for development of the United Nations system - Item 25 (a)

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.2/73/L.8

South-South cooperation for development - Item 25 (b)

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.2/73/L.22

The representative of Egypt introduced the draft resolutions on behalf of the Group of 77 and China.

Agriculture development, food security and nutrition - Item 26

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.2/73/L.7

The representative of Egypt introduced the draft resolution on behalf of the Group of 77 and China.

Introduction of and action on draft resolution A/C.2/73/L.2/Rev.1

The representative of Costa Rica introduced the revised draft resolution on behalf of the sponsors listed in the document.

The Committee was informed that the revised draft resolution contained no programme budget implications.

The Secretary of the Committee announced that, since the submission of the revised draft resolution, the following had joined as co-sponsors: Armenia, Czechia, France, Georgia, Iceland, Indonesia, Italy, Montenegro, Myanmar, the Republic of Moldova, Romania, the Russian Federation, Slovakia, South Africa, Turkey, Uganda and Zambia.

Subsequently, Afghanistan, Argentina, Australia, Bhutan, the Central African Republic, Chile, Ethiopia, Ghana, Guinea Bissau, Israel, Japan, Kenya, Madagascar, Mauritius, Nigeria, Norway, Sao Tome and Principe, Saudi Arabia, Serbia, Sierra Leone, Togo and Ukraine also joined as co-sponsors of the revised draft resolution.

The Committee adopted the revised draft resolution.

A statement was made by the representative of the United States.

Introduction of and action on draft resolution A/C.2/73/L.3/Rev.1

The representative of Burkina Faso introduced the revised draft resolution on behalf of the sponsors listed in the document.

The Committee was informed that the revised draft resolution contained no programme budget implications.

The Secretary of the Committee announced that, since the submission of the revised draft resolution, the following had joined as co-sponsors: Belize, Cameroon, Estonia, Finland, Georgia, India, Indonesia, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Myanmar, the Republic of Moldova, Romania, the Russian Federation, South Africa, Tajikistan, Thailand, Turkey, Uruguay and Zambia.

Subsequently, Afghanistan, Argentina, Australia, Bhutan, Botswana, the Central African Republic, Chile, the Congo, Ethiopia, Ghana, Guatemala, Guinea Bissau, Guyana, Iceland, Malawi, Mauritius, Sao Tome and Principe, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Sierra Leone, Togo, Ukraine, Viet Nam and Zimbabwe also joined as co-sponsors of the revised draft resolution.

The Committee adopted the revised draft resolution.

Introduction of and action on draft resolution A/C.2/73/L.5/Rev.1

The Secretary of the Committee orally corrected the revised draft resolution.

The representative of Finland introduced the revised draft resolution on behalf of the sponsors listed in the document.

The Committee was informed that the revised draft resolution contained no programme budget implications.

The Secretary announced that, since the submission of the revised draft resolution, the following had joined as co-sponsors: Belarus, Belize, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Burkina Faso, the Central African Republic, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Indonesia, Latvia, Montenegro, Myanmar, Nigeria, the Republic of Moldova, the Russian Federation, San Marino, Serbia, South Africa, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Tunisia, Turkey and Ukraine.

Subsequently, Afghanistan, Albania, Andorra, Bhutan, Chile, China, Equatorial Guinea, Ethiopia, Ghana, Guatemala, Guinea Bissau, Guyana, Israel, Japan, Lithuania, Mauritius, Oman, Sao Tome and Principe, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Tajikistan, Timor-Leste, Togo, the United Republic of Tanzania, the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela and Yemen also joined as co-sponsors of the revised draft resolution.

The Committee adopted the revised draft resolution as orally corrected.

Permanent sovereignty of the Palestinian people in the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem, and of the Arab population in the occupied Syrian Golan over their natural resources - Item 64

Introduction of and action on draft resolution A/C.2/73/L.37

The representative of Egypt introduced the draft resolution on behalf of the Group of 77 and China.

The Committee was informed that the draft resolution contained no programme budget implications.

Turkey joined as co-sponsor of the draft resolution.

A statement was made by the representative of Saudi Arabia.

A statement in explanation of vote before the vote was made by the representative of Israel.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution by a recorded vote of 149 to 6, with 12 abstentions.

A statement in explanation of vote after the vote was made by the representative of Austria (on behalf of the member States of the European Union).

Statements were made by the observer for the State of Palestine and the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic.

A statement on a point of order was made by the representative of the Dominican Republic and the Secretary of the Committee responded.

Friday, 9 November 2018

Security Council

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8395th meeting — The summary of the 8395th meeting of the Security Council will appear in the next issue of the Journal (No. 2018/219).

General Assembly

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34th plenary meeting — Report of the International Atomic Energy Agency - Item 92

(a) Report by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the International Atomic Energy Agency (A/73/315)

(b) Draft resolution (A/73/L.19)

The representative of Jordan made a statement, in the course of which he introduced draft resolution A/73/L.19.

Statements were made by the representatives of the European Union (also on behalf of Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Liechtenstein, Montenegro, the Republic of Moldova, Serbia, Turkey and the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia), Belarus, the Russian Federation, Australia, Monaco, Thailand, Libya, South Africa, Paraguay, China, Japan, Singapore, Indonesia, Jamaica, India, the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Algeria, Argentina, the Islamic Republic of Iran, El Salvador, Egypt, Cuba, Iraq, Kazakhstan and Bangladesh.

The representative of the Secretariat made a statement.

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/73/L.19 (resolution 73/9).

The representative of the Syrian Arab Republic made a statement in the exercise of the right of reply.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 92.

Programme of work

The General Assembly was informed that consideration of agenda item 124 (Question of equitable representation on and increase in the membership of the Security Council and other matters related to the Security Council), originally scheduled for Monday, 12 November, had been rescheduled to Tuesday, 20 November 2018; consideration of agenda item 40 (The Situation in Afghanistan), originally scheduled for Monday,

19 November, had been rescheduled to Thursday, 6 December; consideration of agenda item 12 (Sport for development and peace), originally scheduled for Wednesday, 21 November, had been rescheduled to Monday, 3 December; in addition to sub-items (f) and (i) of agenda item 117 ("Appointment of members of the Joint Inspection Unit" and "Appointment of judges of the United Nations Appeals Tribunal", respectively), scheduled to be considered on Wednesday, 14 November, the Assembly will also take up sub-item (h) of agenda item 117 ("Appointment of the judges of the United Nations Dispute Tribunal") at the same meeting.

Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee)
Seventy-third session

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24th plenary meeting — The summary of the 24th plenary meeting of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) will appear in the next issue of the Journal (No. 2018/219).

Fifth Committee
Seventy-third session

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14th meeting

Programme budget for the biennium 2018-2019 - Item 136

The Committee resumed its consideration of the agenda item.

Revised estimates relating to the United Nations Truce Supervision Organization under section 5, Peacekeeping operations

The Acting Controller, Office of Programme Planning, Budget and Accounts introduced the report of the Secretary-General on the revised estimates relating to the United Nations Truce Supervision Organization under section 5, Peacekeeping operations (A/73/402).

The Vice-Chair of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions introduced the related report of that Committee (A/73/492).

The representative of the Syrian Arab Republic made a statement.

The Committee concluded its general discussion on that issue.

The Vice-Chair (Estonia) informed the Committee that informal consultations on that issue would be held on that day, Friday, 9 November immediately following the adjournment of the formal meeting and would be coordinated by Mr. Vahan Galoumian (Canada).

United Nations pension system - Item 144

The Committee began its consideration of the agenda item.

The Chair of the United Nations Joint Staff Pension Board (Sixty-fifth session), Mr. John Levins, introduced the report of the United Nations Joint Staff Pension Board on its sixty-fifth session (A/73/9).

The representative of the Secretary-General for Investments of the United Nations Joint Staff Pension Fund introduced the report of the Secretary-General on the investments of the United Nations Joint Staff Pension Fund and measures undertaken to increase the diversification of the Fund (A/C.5/73/3).

The Director of External Audit (India) and Chair of the Audit Operations Committee, Board of Auditors, Ms. Parama Sen, introduced the report of the Board of Auditors on the United Nations Joint Staff Pension Fund and the financial report and audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2017 (A/73/5/Add.16).

The Acting Secretary of the United Nations Joint Staff Pension Board introduced the report of the Secretary of the United Nations Joint Staff Pension Board and the Representative of the Secretary-General for the investment of the assets of the Fund on the implementation of the recommendations of the Board of Auditors contained in its report for the year ended 31 December 2017 on the United Nations Joint Staff Pension Fund (A/73/342).

The Assistant Secretary-General for Internal Oversight Services introduced the report of that Office on the comprehensive audit of the governance structure and related processes of the United Nations Joint Staff Pension Board (A/73/341).

The Vice-Chair of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions introduced the related report of that Committee (A/73/489).

Statements were made by the representatives of Egypt (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China), the European Union (also on behalf of the candidate countries the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Montenegro, Serbia and Albania, the country of the Stabilization and Association Process and potential candidate Bosnia and Herzegovina; as well as Ukraine, the Republic of Moldova and Georgia, which aligned themselves with the statement), the United States, China, Japan, Uganda and the Russian Federation.

The Committee concluded its general discussion on that item.

The Vice-Chair (Estonia) informed the Committee that informal consultations on that item would be held on that day, Friday, 9 November in the afternoon and would be coordinated by Ms. Melanie Hidalgo (Dominican Republic).

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Group of 77 (on Second Committee and related matters)

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13:15 - 14:30	Closed meeting	Conference Room D
15:00 - 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room D

Second plenary meeting of the Funding Dialogues convened by the Deputy Secretary-General in the context of General Assembly resolution 72/279 on the repositioning of the United Nations development system (organized by the Executive Office of the Secretary-General)

15:00 - 17:00 Closed meeting Conference Room 2

Contact: Alexander Tadion (tadion@un.org, 212-963-4892)

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Press Briefing Room (S-0237) [webcast]

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Briefing by the Permanent Mission of the Kingdom of Morocco and the Office of the Special Representative of the Secretary-General for International Migration on logistical and organizational matters for the Marrakech Conference on 10 and 11 December 2018 (A/RES/72/244) (organized by the Office of the Special Representative of the Secretary-General for International Migration)

13 November 2018

13:15 - 14:30 Conference Room 11

Link: More Info

Contact: Mun Sim Lai (laim@un.org; 212-963-0173, 917-565-7053)

Assembly of the States Parties to the International Criminal Court: New York Working Group

13 November 2018

16:00 - 18:00 Closed meeting Conference Room 12

JUSCANZ (on Second Committee matters)

14 November 2018

08:30 - 09:30 Closed meeting Conference Room 8

Event entitled "Leadership and Conflict Resolution: Leading Self and Leading Others" (co-organized by UNITAR and Columbia Law School)

14 November 2018

10:00 - 13:00 Conference Room F

15:00 - 18:00 Conference Room F

Contact: UNITAR (nyo@unitar.org; 212-963-9196)

8th Global Forum of the United Nations Alliance of Civilizations on "#Commit2Dialogue: Partnerships for Prevention and Sustaining Peace" (A/RES/69/312) (organized by the United Nations Alliance of Civilizations (UNAOC))

19 November 2018

10:00 - 13:00 Conference Room 4

15:00 - 18:00 Conference Room 4

20 November 2018

09:30 - 13:00 Conference Room 4

15:00 - 18:00 Conference Room 4

Link: https://8thglobalforum.unaoc.org/

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	Adoption of the agenda	
	The situation concerning Iraq	
	Documents: S/2018/975 and S/2018/976	
15:00	8397th meeting [webcast]	Security Council Chamber
	Adoption of the agenda	
	The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo	
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	DRC	
	Other matters	

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General Assembly

Seventy-third session

10:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 6
15:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 6

Informal consultations on agenda item 78 (b) (Oceans and the law of the sea: Sustainable fisheries)

Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee)

Seventy-third session

15:00 - 18:00	26th plenary meeting [webcast]	Conference Room 4

Introductory statement, question-and-answer period and general debate on:

Report of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices Affecting the Human Rights of the Palestinian People and Other Arabs of the Occupied Territories - Item 55

The list of speakers for the general discussion on the following item(s) of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) is open: Report of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices Affecting the Human Rights of the Palestinian People and Other Arabs of the Occupied Territories - Item 55

Delegations wishing to inscribe on the list of speakers are requested to do so through the e-deleGATE portal.

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Documents: A/C.4/73/1, A/C.4/73/L.1, A/C.4/73/INF.1, A/C.4/73/INF.4, A/73/364, A/73/357, A/73/410 and A/73/420

Links: e-deleGATE Portal and PaperSmart

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Third Committee
Seventy-third session

10:00 – 13:00 46th plenary meeting [webcast] Conference Room 1

Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees, questions relating to refugees, returnees and displaced persons and humanitarian questions - Item 65

Action on draft resolution A/C.3/73/L.59

Report of the Human Rights Council - Item 69

Action on draft resolution A/C.3/73/L.56

Promotion and protection of the rights of children - Item 70 (a)

Action on draft resolution A/C.3/73/L.25/Rev.1

Right of peoples to self-determination - Item 73

Action on draft resolution A/C.3/73/L.37

Human rights questions, including alternative approaches for improving the effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms - Item 74 (b)

Action on draft resolutions A/C.3/73/L.32, A/C.3/73/L.33, A/C.3/73/L.34 and A/C.3/73/L.35

Action on draft resolution A/C.3/73/L.44

Amendment A/C.3/73/L.57

Crime prevention and criminal justice - Item 109

Action on draft resolutions A/C.3/73/L.9/Rev.1 and A/C.3/73/L.10

15:00 – 18:00 47th plenary meeting [webcast] Conference Room 1

Action on draft proposals (continued)

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Documents: A/C.3/73/L.59, A/C.3/73/L.56, A/C.3/73/L.25/Rev.1, A/C.3/73/L.37, A/C.3/73/L.32, A/C.3/73/L.33, A/C.3/73/L.34, A/C.3/73/L.35, A/C.3/73/L.44, A/C.3/73/L.57, A/C.3/73/L.9/Rev.1 and A/C.3/73/L.10

Links: e-deleGATE Portal, PaperSmart and Website

Contacts: Room reservations for informal consultations (poliakova@un.org) and PaperSmart (papersmart3@un.org)

Fifth Committee
Seventy-third session

10:00 – 13:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 5
	United Nations pension system - Item 144	
	Documents: A/73/9, A/C.5/73/3, A/73/5/Add.16, A/73/342, A/73/341 and A/73/489	
	Links: Website and e-deleGATE Portal	
15:00 – 18:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 5
	(To be determined)	
	Links: Website and e-deleGATE Portal	

Sixth Committee
Seventy-third session

10:00 – 13:00	35th plenary meeting [webcast]	Trusteeship Council Chamber
	Criminal accountability of United Nations officials and experts on mission - Item 79	
	Action on draft resolution A/C.6/73/L.15	
	United Nations Programme of Assistance in the Teaching, Study, Dissemination and Wider Appreciation of International Law - Item 81	
	Introduction of and action on draft resolution A/C.6/73/L.20	
	Report of the International Law Commission on the work of its seventieth session - Item 82	

Introduction of and action on draft resolution A/C.6/73/L.22

Introduction of and action on draft resolution A/C.6/73/L.23

Introduction of and action on draft resolution A/C.6/73/L.24

Status of the Protocols Additional to the Geneva Conventions of 1949 and relating to the protection of victims of armed conflicts - Item 83

Introduction of and action on draft resolution A/C.6/73/L.21

Consideration of effective measures to enhance the protection, security and safety of diplomatic and consular missions and representatives - Item 84

Introduction of and action on draft resolution A/C.6/73/L.20

The rule of law at the national and international levels - Item 86

Introduction of and action on draft resolution A/C.6/73/L.19

The scope and application of the principle of universal jurisdiction - Item 87

Introduction of and action on draft resolution A/C.6/73/L.16

Protection of persons in the event of disasters - Item 90

Introduction of and action on draft resolution A/C.6/73/L.26

Strengthening and promoting the international treaty framework - Item 91

Introduction of and action on draft resolution A/C.6/73/L.28

Measures to eliminate international terrorism - Item 111

Introduction of and action on draft resolution A/C.6/73/L.17

Administration of justice at the United Nations - Item 147

Consideration of the outcome of the informal consultations

Report of the Committee on Relations with the Host Country - Item 167

Introduction of and action on draft resolution A/C.6/73/L.18

Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly - Item 123

Introduction of and action on draft decision A/C.6/73/L.27

Programme planning - Item 137

Election of the officers of the Main Committees - Item 5

Additional information is available on the Committee website.

Archive videos will be available on the UN Web TV dedicated committee page.

Documents: A/C.6/73/L.15, A/C.6/73/L.25, A/C.6/73/L.22, A/C.6/73/L.29, A/C.6/73/L.23, A/C.6/73/L.24, A/C.6/73/L.21, A/C.6/73/L.20, A/C.6/73/L.19, A/C.6/73/L.16, A/C.6/73/L.26, A/C.6/73/L.28, A/C.6/73/L.17, A/C.6/73/L.18 and A/C.6/73/L.27

Links: PaperSmart and Website

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Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

10:00 - 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10
	Revised budget for the African Union United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur (UNAMID) for the period from 1 July 2018 to 30 June 2019	
15:00 - 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10
	Executive meeting	

Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf
Forty-eighth session

10:00 - 13:00	Closed meeting	Geographic Information System laboratories DOALOS (DC2, 4th Fl)
15:00 - 18:00	Closed meeting	Geographic Information System laboratories DOALOS (DC2, 4th Fl)

There will be closed meetings of the subcommissions established by the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf until Friday, 30 November 2018, from 10:00 to 13:00 and from 15:00 to 18:00, at the Geographic Information System laboratories of the Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea (DC2 Building, 4th Floor).

Economic and Social Council

Session 2019

Joint meeting of the Economic and Social Council and the Peacebuilding Commission

10:00 – 13:00	[webcast]	Conference Room 2

Joint meeting at the ambassadorial level on "Linkages between climate change and challenges to peacebuilding and sustaining peace in the Sahel"

Opening statement: President of the Economic and Social Council (Saint Vincent and the Grenadines)

Opening statement: Chair, Peacebuilding Commission (Romania)

Panel presentations

Interactive discussion

Closing statement: Chair, Peacebuilding Commission (Romania)

Closing statement: President of the Economic and Social Council (Saint Vincent and the Grenadines)

The meeting is co-chaired by the President of the Economic and Social Council (Saint Vincent and the Grenadines) and the Chair, Peacebuilding Commission (Romania)

Additional information is available on the website of the Economic and Social Council.

For details, please contact the Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA) or the Peacebuilding Support Office.

Links: Website, More Info, e-deleGATE Portal and PaperSmart

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Plenary

15:00 – 18:00 5th plenary meeting [webcast] Economic and Social Council Chamber

Special meeting on "Pathways to resilience in climate-affected Small Island Developing States (SIDS): A forward-looking resilience-building agenda: Promises, results and next steps"

Opening statement: President of the Economic and Social Council (Saint Vincent and the Grenadines)

Opening statement: Secretary-General's Special Envoy for the 2019 Climate Summit

Statements on global and regional perspectives

Dialogue 1: Taking stock: Commitments and results to date

Interactive discussion

Dialogue 2: Next steps: financing a forward-looking resilience building agenda in Small Island Developing States

Interactive discussion

Closing statement by the President of the Economic and Social Council (Saint Vincent and the Grenadines)

Convened by the President of the Economic and Social Council (Saint Vincent and the Grenadines) to follow-up on the 2017 Special Meeting, with a focus on commitments made and results achieved to date in Small Island Developing States vulnerable to shocks associated with natural hazards and explore new and innovative approaches to financing climate resilience.

In view of the interactive nature of this event, there will be no pre-determined list of speakers and participants are requested to refrain from reading prepared statements.

The time limit for interventions is *three minutes*.

All are invited to attend.

Additional information is available on the website of the Economic and Social Council.

For further details, please contact: Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA).

Links: Website, More Info, e-deleGATE Portal and PaperSmart

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Forthcoming official meetings

General Assembly

Seventy-third session

14 November 2018

10:00	35th plenary meeting [webcast]	General Assembly Hall
	Appointment of members of the Joint Inspection Unit - Item 117 (f)	
	Appointment of the judges of the United Nations Dispute Tribunal - Item 117 (h)	
	Appointment of the judges of the United Nations Appeals Tribunal - Item 117 (i)	
	Documents: A/73/479, A/73/422 and A/73/203	

15 November 2018

10:00	36th plenary meeting [webcast]	General Assembly Hall
	Appointments to fill vacancies in subsidiary organs and other appointments - Item 117	
	Appointment of members of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions - Item 117 (a)	
	Appointment of members of the Committee on Contributions - Item 117 (b)	
	Confirmation of the appointment of members of the Investments Committee - Item 117 (c)	
	Appointment of members of the International Civil Service Commission - Item 117 (d)	
	Implementation of the resolutions of the United Nations - Item 122	
	Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly - Item 123	
	Joint debate	
	Documents: A/73/481, A/73/483, A/73/484 and A/73/485	

20 November 2018

10:00	37th plenary meeting [webcast]	General Assembly Hall
	Question of equitable representation on and increase in the membership of the Security Council and other matters related to the Security Council - Item 124	

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14 to 20 November 2018

10:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 6
15:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 6
	Informal consultations on the draft resolution on item 78 (a) (Oceans and the law of the sea) of the provisional agenda of regular session 73 of the General Assembly	

Second Committee
Seventy-third session

15 November 2018

10:00 – 13:00 Plenary meeting [webcast] Conference Room 2

Information on the work of the Committee, as well as related documentation and side events, are available on its website.

Members, as well as observers, are requested to register the names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers through the e-List of Participants module on the e-deleGATE portal.

Requests for room reservations for informal consultations on Committee matters should be sent as soon as possible, but no later than 17:00 of the day before the meeting, to the secretariat of the Committee.

Information on the schedule of informal consultations on Second Committee draft proposals for the next 3 days is available on the website of the Committee.

Documents: A/C.2/73/1, A/C.2/73/L.1 and A/C.2/73/L.1/Add.1/Rev.1

Links: Website, Documentation, Schedule of informals, e-deleGATE Portal and PaperSmart

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PaperSmart (for electronic circulation of statements) (papersmart2@un.org)

Fifth Committee
Seventy-third session

14 November 2018

10:00 – 13:00 Informal consultations (closed) Conference Room 5

Links: Website and e-deleGATE Portal

Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme/
United Nations Population Fund/
United Nations Office for Project Services

14 November 2018

13:15 – 14:30 Briefing Conference Room 11

All member and observer delegations are invited to attend.

Summary of official meetings

Friday, 9 November 2018

Security Council

[archived video]

8395th meeting

Maintenance of international peace and security

Strengthening multilateralism and the role of the United Nations

Letter dated 1 November 2018 from the Permanent Representative of China to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General (S/2018/982)

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President invited the representatives of Argentina, Algeria, Armenia, Australia, Azerbaijan, Bangladesh, Belarus, Belgium, Brazil, Canada, Colombia, Cuba, Ecuador, Egypt, Estonia, Georgia, Germany, Guatemala, Hungary, India, Indonesia, Iran (the Islamic Republic of), Ireland, Italy, Japan, Kenya, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Mali, Malaysia, Mexico, Morocco, Norway, Oman, Pakistan, Philippines, Portugal, Qatar, the Republic of Korea, Rwanda, Singapore, Slovenia, South Africa, Spain, Switzerland, Tunisia, Turkey, Venezuela (the Bolivarian Republic of) and Viet Nam to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The President invited Her Excellency Alya Ahmed Saif Al-Thani, Permanent Representative of Qatar, on behalf of the President of the General Assembly; Her Excellency Inga Rhonda King, President of the Economic and Social Council; and Judge Abdulqawi Ahmed Yusuf, President of the International Court of Justice to participate in the meeting, in accordance with rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The President invited the following individuals to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure: His Excellency João Vale de Almeida, Head of the Delegation of the European Union to the United Nations; Mr. Robert Mardini, Head of Delegation and Permanent Observer of the International Committee of the Red Cross to the United Nations; and Her Excellency Fatima Kyari Mohammed, Permanent Observer of the African Union to the United Nations.

The President invited the Permanent Observer of the Observer State of the Holy See to the United Nations to participate in the meeting in accordance with the provisional rules of procedure and the Council's previous practice.

The Council heard a briefing by the Secretary-General, His Excellency António Guterres.

The Council heard briefings by Her Excellency Alya Ahmed Saif Al-Thani, Her Excellency Inga Rhonda King and by Judge Yusuf (via video-teleconference from The Hague).

Statements were made by the President, speaking in his capacity as the representative of China, and by the representatives of Sweden, Kazakhstan, the Russian Federation, the United States, Kuwait, Poland, France, the Netherlands, Equatorial Guinea, Côte d'Ivoire, the Plurinational State of Bolivia, Ethiopia, Peru and the United Kingdom.

The Council heard statements by the representatives of India and Liechtenstein.

The Council heard a statement by His Excellency João Vale de Almeida (speaking on behalf of the European Union and the candidate countries the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Montenegro, Serbia and Albania, the country of the Stabilization and Association Process and potential candidate Bosnia and Herzegovina, as well as Ukraine and the Republic of Moldova, aligned themselves with the statement).

The Council heard statements by the representatives of Japan, Mexico, Slovenia, the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela (speaking on behalf of the Non-Aligned Movement), Italy, Guatemala, the Islamic Republic of Iran, Australia, Pakistan, Spain, Algeria, South Africa, Tunisia, Switzerland, the Republic of Korea, Estonia, Argentina and Singapore (on behalf of the ten member States of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN).

The Council heard a statement by Her Excellency Fatima Kyari Mohammed.

The Council heard statements by the representatives of Hungary, Azerbaijan, Canada and Germany.

The Council heard a statement by the Permanent Observer of the Observer State of the Holy See.

The Council heard statements by the representatives of Cuba, Rwanda, Qatar, Turkey, Brazil, Lithuania, Portugal and Egypt.

The Council heard a statement by Mr. Mardini.

The Council heard statements by the representatives of Ireland, Indonesia, Norway (speaking on behalf of the Nordic countries: Denmark, Finland, Iceland, Norway and Sweden), Georgia, Colombia, Latvia, Kenya, Armenia, Oman, Morocco, Viet Nam, Belarus, Mali, Belgium, the Philippines, Ecuador, Malaysia and Bangladesh.

General Assembly

Seventy-third session

Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee)

Seventy-third session

[archived video]

24th plenary meeting — United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East – Item 54

The Commissioner-General of the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East made a statement.

In the ensuing interactive dialogue, questions were posed by the representatives of Indonesia, the Sudan, Israel and the Syrian Arab Republic, as well as the observer of the State of Palestine to which the Commissioner-General responded.

The representative of Norway, in his capacity as Rapporteur of the Working Group in the Financing of the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East, introduced the report of the Working Group (A/73/349).

The Chair (Liberia) made a statement.

The Committee decided to close the list of speakers for agenda item 54 on Friday, 8 November at 18:00.

General debate

The Committee began its general debate with a statement by the observer of the State of Palestine.

Statements were made by the representatives of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela (on behalf of Non-aligned Movement), Bangladesh (on behalf of the Organization of Islamic Cooperation and in its national capacity), European Union (on behalf of its member States, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Montenegro, Serbia, Albania, and Bosnia and Herzegovina), Mexico, the Philippines, Thailand, Cuba, Qatar, South Africa, Saudi Arabia, Israel and Namibia.

Right of reply

Statements in exercise of the right of reply were made by the representative of Israel, as well as the observer of the State of Palestine.

Organization of work

The Chair made a statement.

Monday, 12 November 2018

General Assembly

Seventy-third session

Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee)

Seventy-third session

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25th plenary meeting

United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East - Item 54

General debate

The Committee continued its general debate and heard statements by the representatives of: Syrian Arab Republic, Jordan, Tunisia, Lebanon, Norway, Egypt, Kuwait, Ecuador, Australia, Brazil, Japan, Turkey, India, Malaysia, Indonesia, China, Nigeria, United Arab Emirates, Sudan and Russian Federation.

A statement was also made by the observer of the Holy See.

The Committee thus concluded its general debate on the item.

The Commissioner-General of the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East made a statement.

Right of reply

Statements in exercise of the right of reply were made by the representative of Israel, as well as the observer of the State of Palestine.

Organization of work

The Vice-Chair (Hungary) made a statement.

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Group of 77 (on Second Committee and related matters)

10:00 - 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room D
13:15 - 14:30	Closed meeting	Conference Room D
15:00 - 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room D

OIC Group (at the ambassadorial level)

11:00 - 12:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 7

Briefing by the Permanent Mission of the Kingdom of Morocco and the Office of the Special Representative of the Secretary-General for International Migration on logistical and organizational matters for the Marrakech Conference on 10 and 11 December 2018 (A/RES/72/244) (organized by the Office of the Special Representative of the Secretary-General for International Migration)

13:15 - 14:30 [webcast] Conference Room 11

Link: More Info

Contact: Mun Sim Lai (laim@un.org; 212-963-0173, 917-565-7053)

Assembly of the States Parties to the International Criminal Court: New York Working Group

16:00 - 18:00 Conference Room 12

Press conferences

Press Briefing Room (S-0237) [webcast]

For the complete list of press conferences, please click on the link below *www.un.org/sg/spokesperson/confschedule.asp*.

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JUSCANZ (on Second Committee matters)

14 November 2018

08:30 - 09:30 Closed meeting Conference Room 8

Event entitled "Leadership and Conflict Resolution: Leading Self and Leading Others" (co-organized by UNITAR and Columbia Law School)

14 November 2018

10:00 - 13:00 Conference Room F

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General Assembly

Seventy-third session

10:00 — 35th plenary meeting — General Assembly Hall

[webcast]

Appointment of members of the Joint Inspection Unit - Item 117 (f)

Appointment of the judges of the United Nations Dispute Tribunal - Item 117 (h

Appointment of the judges of the United Nations Appeals Tribunal - Item 117 (i)

Documents: A/73/479, A/73/422, A/73/203, A/73/422/Corr.1 and A/73/203/Corr.1

Security Council

10:00 — 8398th meeting — Security Council Chamber

[webcast]

Adoption of the agenda

The situation in Somalia

Documents: S/2018/1002 and S/2018/1003

Followed by — 8399th meeting — Security Council Chamber

[webcast]

Adoption of the agenda

Security Council resolutions 1160 (1998), 1199 (1998), 1203 (1998), 1239 (1999) and 1244 (1999)

Document: S/2018/981

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General Assembly

Seventy-third session

10:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 6
15:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 6

Informal consultations on the draft resolution on item 78 (a) (Oceans and the law of the sea) of the provisional agenda of regular session 73 of the General Assembly

Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee)

Seventy-third session

10:00 – 13:00	27th plenary meeting [webcast]	Conference Room 4

Report of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices Affecting the Human Rights of the Palestinian People and Other Arabs of the Occupied Territories - Item 55

General debate (concluded)

Delegations are encouraged to observe the time limits of 10 minutes for statements by individual Member States and 15 minutes for delegations speaking on behalf of a group of States.

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Documents: A/73/364, A/73/357, A/C.4/73/1, A/C.4/73/L.1, A/C.4/73/INF.1, A/C.4/73/INF.4, A/73/410, A/73/420 and A/73/499

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Fifth Committee
Seventy-third session

10:00 – 13:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 5
	(to be determined)	
	Links: Website and e-deleGATE Portal	

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

10:00 - 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10
	Revised estimates for the Human Rights Council	
	Executive meeting	

Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf
Forty-eighth session

10:00 - 13:00	Closed meeting	Geographic Information System laboratories DOALOS (DC2, 4th Fl)
15:00 - 18:00	Closed meeting	Geographic Information System laboratories DOALOS (DC2, 4th Fl)

There will be closed meetings of the subcommissions established by the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf until Friday, 30 November 2018, from 10:00 to 13:00 and from 15:00 to 18:00, at the Geographic Information System laboratories of the Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea (DC2 Building, 4th Floor).

**Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme/
United Nations Population Fund/
United Nations Office for Project Services**

13:15 – 14:30 Briefing [webcast] Conference Room 11

All member and observer delegations are invited to attend.

Forthcoming official meetings

General Assembly

Seventy-third session

15 November 2018

10:00 36th plenary meeting [webcast] General Assembly Hall

Appointments to fill vacancies in subsidiary organs and other appointments - Item 117

Appointment of members of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions - Item 117 (a)

Appointment of members of the Committee on Contributions - Item 117 (b)

Confirmation of the appointment of members of the Investments Committee - Item 117 (c)

Appointment of members of the International Civil Service Commission - Item 117 (d)

Implementation of the resolutions of the United Nations - Item 122

Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly - Item 123

Joint debate

Documents: A/73/481, A/73/483, A/73/484 and A/73/485

20 November 2018

10:00 37th plenary meeting [webcast] General Assembly Hall

Question of equitable representation on and increase in the membership of the Security Council and other matters related to the Security Council - Item 124

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10:00 38th plenary meeting [webcast] General Assembly Hall

Commemoration of the abolition of slavery and the transatlantic slave trade - Item 121

Document: A/73/88

15 to 20 November 2018

10:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 6
15:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 6
	Informal consultations on the draft resolution on item 78 (a) (Oceans and the law of the sea) of the provisional agenda of regular session 73 of the General Assembly	

Second Committee
Seventy-third session

15 November 2018

10:00 – 13:00	Plenary meeting [webcast]	Conference Room 2
	Information on the work of the Committee, as well as related documentation and side events, are available on its website.	
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	Information on the schedule of informal consultations on Second Committee draft proposals for the next 3 days is available on the website of the Committee.	
	Documents: A/C.2/73/1, A/C.2/73/L.1 and A/C.2/73/L.1/Add.1/Rev.1	
	Links: Website, Documentation, Schedule of informals, e-deleGATE Portal and PaperSmart	
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	PaperSmart (for electronic circulation of statements) (papersmart2@un.org)	

Fifth Committee
Seventy-third session

15 November 2018

10:00	15th meeting [webcast]	Conference Room 3
Followed by– 13:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 5
15:00 – 18.00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 5
	Links: Website and e-deleGATE Portal	

Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People

15 November 2018

10:00 – 13:00 392nd meeting [webcast] Economic and Social Council Chamber

Open to all permanent missions and permanent observer missions, United Nations system entities, United Nations Secretariat and accredited civil society organizations, as well as to the media.

For inquiries, please contact the Division for Palestinian Rights, Department of Political Affairs.

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Summary of official meetings

Tuesday, 13 November 2018

Security Council

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8396th meeting The situation concerning Iraq

Report of the Secretary-General pursuant to resolution 2421 (2018) (S/2018/975)

Twentieth report of the Secretary-General pursuant to paragraph 4 of Security Council resolution 2107 (2013) (S/2018/976)

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President invited the representative of Iraq to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The President invited Mr. Ján Kubiš, Special Representative of the Secretary-General and Head of the United Nations Assistance Mission for Iraq, to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The Council began its consideration of the item and heard a briefing by Mr. Kubiš.

Statements were made by the representatives of the United States, Kuwait, France, Côte d'Ivoire, the Russian Federation, Kazakhstan, Peru, the Netherlands, Poland, the Plurinational State of Bolivia, Equatorial Guinea, the United Kingdom, Ethiopia, Sweden and by the President, speaking in his capacity as the representative of China.

The Council heard a statement by the representative of Iraq.

8397th meeting The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President invited the representative of the Democratic Republic of the Congo to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The President invited the following briefers to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure: Ms. Leila Zerrougui,

Special Representative of the Secretary-General and Head of the United Nations Organization Stabilization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo; and Ms. Josephine Mbela, Congolese Association for Access to Justice.

The Council began its consideration of the item and heard a briefing by Ms. Zerrougui.

The Council heard a briefing by Ms. Mbela (via video teleconference from Kinshasa.)

Statements were made by the representatives of France, the United States, Equatorial Guinea, Peru, Côte d'Ivoire, Sweden, the Plurinational State of Bolivia, Ethiopia, Poland, Kazakhstan, the Netherlands, the Russian Federation, the United Kingdom, Kuwait, and by the President speaking in his capacity as the representative of China.

The Council heard a statement by the representative of the Democratic Republic of the Congo.

General Assembly

Seventy-third session

Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee)

Seventy-third session

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26th plenary meeting — The summary of the 26th plenary meeting of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) will appear in the next issue of the Journal (No. 2018/221).

Third Committee

Seventy-third session

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46th and 47th plenary meetings

The summary of the 46th and 47th plenary meetings of the Third Committee will appear in the next issue of the Journal (No. 2018/221).

Sixth Committee

Seventy-third session

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35th plenary meeting — Criminal accountability of United Nations officials and experts on mission - Item 79

The Committee continued its consideration of agenda item 79.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.6/73/L.15, without a vote.

The Committee concluded its consideration of agenda item 79.

United Nations Programme of Assistance in the Teaching, Study, Dissemination and Wider Appreciation of International Law - Item 81

The Committee continued its consideration of agenda item 81.

The representative of Ghana introduced draft resolution A/C.6/73/L.25, on behalf of the Bureau.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.6/73/L.25, without a vote.

The Committee concluded its consideration of agenda item 81.

Report of the International Law Commission on the work of its seventieth session - Item 82

The Committee continued its consideration of agenda item 82.

The Chair informed the Committee that a statement on the programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.6/73/L.22 had been issued as document A/C.6/73/L.29.

The representative of Peru introduced draft resolution A/C.6/73/L.22, on behalf of the Bureau.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.6/73/L.22, without a vote.

The representative of Belarus introduced draft resolution A/C.6/73/L.23, on behalf of the Bureau.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.6/73/L.23, without a vote.

The representative of Georgia introduced draft resolution A/C.6/73/L.24, on behalf of the Bureau.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.6/73/L.24, without a vote.

The Committee concluded its consideration of agenda item 82.

Status of the Protocols Additional to the Geneva Conventions of 1949 and relating to the protection of victims of armed conflicts - Item 83

The Committee continued its consideration of agenda item 83.

The representative of Sweden introduced draft resolution A/C.6/73/L.21, on behalf of Argentina, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Canada, Central African Republic, Cyprus, the Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Mauritius, Monaco, Norway, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Serbia, Slovakia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and Uruguay, and announced that Australia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Costa Rica, Croatia, Fiji, Georgia, Lebanon, Montenegro, the Netherlands, New Zealand, Republic of Korea, San Marino and the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia had joined as sponsors of the draft resolution.

The representatives of the Sudan and Togo spoke in explanation of position prior to action on the draft resolution.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.6/73/L.21, without a vote.

The representative of the United States of America spoke in explanation of position after the adoption of the draft resolution.

The Committee concluded its consideration of agenda item 83.

Consideration of effective measures to enhance the protection, security and safety of diplomatic and consular missions and representatives - Item 84

The Committee continued its consideration of agenda item 84.

The representative of Finland introduced draft resolution A/C.6/73/L.20, on behalf of: Austria, Canada, Central African Republic, Croatia, Cyprus, Czechia, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Gabon, Germany, Greece, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, New Zealand, Norway, Republic of Moldova, Slovakia, Spain, Sweden and Uruguay, and announced that Australia, Belgium, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Montenegro, the Netherlands, Poland, Switzerland and the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia had joined as sponsors of the draft resolution.

The representative of Bosnia and Herzegovina announced that it also joined as a sponsor of the draft resolution.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.6/73/L.20, without a vote.

The Committee concluded its consideration of agenda item 84.

The rule of law at the national and international levels - Item 86

The Committee continued its consideration of agenda item 86.

The representative of Mexico introduced draft resolution A/C.6/73/L.19, on behalf of the Bureau.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.6/73/L.19, without a vote.

The representative of the Syrian Arab Republic spoke in explanation of position after the adoption of the draft resolution.

The Committee concluded its consideration of agenda item 86.

The scope and application of the principle of universal jurisdiction - Item 87

The Committee continued its consideration of agenda item 87.

The representative of the Gambia introduced draft resolution A/C.6/73/L.16, on behalf of the Bureau.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.6/73/L.16, without a vote.

The Committee concluded its consideration of agenda item 87.

Protection of persons in the event of disasters – Item 90

The Committee continued its consideration of agenda item 90.

The representative of Thailand introduced draft resolution A/C.6/73/L.26, on behalf of the Bureau.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.6/73/L.26, without a vote.

The Committee concluded its consideration of agenda item 90.

Strengthening and promoting the international treaty framework - Item 91

The Committee continued its consideration of agenda item 91.

The representative of Brazil introduced draft resolution A/C.6/73/L.28, on behalf of the Bureau.

The Secretary of the Committee made an oral statement pertaining to the financial implications of draft resolution A/C.6/73/L.28.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.6/73/L.28, without a vote.

The Committee concluded its consideration of agenda item 91.

Measures to eliminate international terrorism - Item 111

The Committee continued its consideration of agenda item 111.

The representative of Canada introduced draft resolution A/C.6/73/L.17, on behalf of the Bureau.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.6/73/L.17, without a vote.

The Committee concluded its consideration of agenda item 111.

Administration of justice at the United Nations - Item 147

The Committee continued its consideration of agenda item 147.

The Committee received a report on the results of the informal consultations.

The Committee authorized its Chair to send a letter to the President of the General Assembly with a request that it be brought to the attention of the Chair of the Fifth Committee and circulated as a document of the General Assembly.

The Committee concluded its consideration of agenda item 147.

Report of the Committee on Relations with the Host Country - Item 167

The Committee continued its consideration of agenda item 167.

The representative of Cyprus introduced draft resolution A/C.6/73/L.18, on behalf of Bulgaria, Canada, Costa Rica, Côte d'Ivoire and Cyprus.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.6/73/L.18, without a vote.

The representatives of the Russian Federation and the Syrian Arab Republic spoke in explanation of position after the adoption of the draft resolution.

The representative of the United States of America made a statement.

The Committee concluded its consideration of agenda item 167.

Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly - Item 123

The Committee continued its consideration of agenda item 123.

The Chair of the Committee introduced draft decision A/C.6/73/L.27.

Statements were made by the representatives of Israel, Togo and India.

The Committee adopted draft decision A/C.6/73/L.27.

The Committee concluded its consideration of agenda item 123.

Programme planning - Item 137

The Committee commenced its consideration of agenda item 137.

The Chair of the Committee made a statement.

The Committee concluded its consideration of agenda item 137.

Election of the officers of the Main Committees - Item 5

The Chair of the Committee made a statement.

Conclusion of the consideration of the substantive items for the seventy-third session

The Chair of the Committee made a concluding statement.

Statements were made by the representatives of Eswatini (on behalf of the African Group) and the Islamic Republic of Iran (on behalf of the Non-Aligned Movement).

The Sixth Committee thus concluded the consideration of its substantive items for the seventy-third session.

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Event entitled "Leadership and Conflict Resolution: Leading Self and Leading Others" (co-organized by UNITAR and Columbia Law School)

10:00 - 13:00 — Conference Room F

15:00 - 18:00 — Conference Room F

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Group of 77 (on Second Committee and related matters)

10:00 - 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room D
13:15 - 14:30	Closed meeting	Conference Room D
15:00 - 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room D

Group of 77 (on Fifth Committee matters)

15:00 - 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 5

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15:00 - 18:00 Trusteeship Council Chamber

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